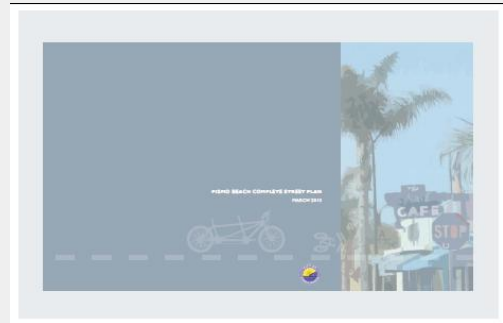




## Pismo Beach Complete Streets Plan

### City of Pismo Beach

Community-Based Transportation Planning  
FY 10-11 Grant Cycle  
District 5  
Grant Award Amount: \$72,000



### Project Summary:

The outcome of the project is a community driven concept plan for a multi-use pedestrian and bicycle trail with regional connections, augmenting auto uses for a complete street. Public workshops facilitated plan creation for a Class I bike trail, improved sidewalks, and a future bicycle and pedestrian connection to Grover Beach and the Bob Jones Bike Trail.

### Community Outreach

- Community outreach during this project was visualized in many different ways.
- Several public events were held to gain public input such as concerns, suggestions, and preferences. These events comprised of:
  - A bus tour with an accompanying workshop held twice (once during the day and once in the evening) to accommodate more of the public.
  - An interactive information booth set up at the annual Art in the Park event.
  - Another participatory workshop held months later.
- The City of Pismo Beach additionally maintained an informational website that included a questionnaire to elicit comments and ideas from the public.

### Project Outcome

- The City of Pismo Beach has created a multimodal plan that will help to create a safe future in transportation.
- The residents, within and around the study Corridor, have expressed satisfaction with the plan and support for future projects.
- As each new project is undertaken, it will be designed as a part of the overall plan, and ultimately result in a Complete Street that facilitates pedestrian, bicycle, transit, and vehicle movement along the Corridor.

### Successes & Next Steps

- Several future private developments within the grant area have agreed to participate in construction which corresponds with the Complete Street Plan.
- The Pismo Beach Complete Street Plan is moving forward into the CEQA phase and the City of Pismo Beach plans to seek Federal funding. Additional possible Federal funding includes: Moving Ahead for Progress in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century (MAP 21), Highway Safety Improvement Program (HSIP).
- The City of Pismo Beach also plans to seek State and local funding; such as: Safe Routes to School (SR2S), Development Impact Fees, and the City's General Fund.